

COOPERATIVE ARRANGEMENT BETWEEN A PARTY STATE AND A NONPARTY STATE.

ARTICLE VII

COMPACT ADMINISTRATOR AND INTERCHANGE OF INFORMATION

(A) THE HEAD OF THE LICENSING AUTHORITY OF EACH PARTY STATE SHALL BE THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THIS COMPACT FOR HIS STATE. THE ADMINISTRATORS, ACTING JOINTLY, SHALL HAVE THE POWER TO FORMULATE ALL NECESSARY AND PROPER PROCEDURES FOR THE EXCHANGE OF INFORMATION UNDER THIS COMPACT.

(B) THE ADMINISTRATOR OF EACH PARTY STATE SHALL FURNISH TO THE ADMINISTRATOR OF EACH OTHER PARTY STATE ANY INFORMATION OR DOCUMENTS REASONABLY NECESSARY TO FACILITATE THE ADMINISTRATION OF THIS COMPACT.

ARTICLE VIII

ENTRY INTO FORCE AND WITHDRAWAL

(A) THIS COMPACT SHALL ENTER INTO FORCE AND BECOME EFFECTIVE AS TO ANY STATE WHEN IT HAS ENACTED THE SAME INTO LAW.

(B) ANY PARTY STATE MAY WITHDRAW FROM THIS COMPACT BY ENACTING A STATUTE REPEALING THE SAME, BUT NO SUCH WITHDRAWAL SHALL TAKE EFFECT UNTIL 6 MONTHS AFTER THE EXECUTIVE HEAD OF THE WITHDRAWING STATE HAS GIVEN NOTICE OF THE WITHDRAWAL TO THE EXECUTIVE HEADS OF ALL OTHER PARTY STATES. NO WITHDRAWAL SHALL AFFECT THE VALIDITY OR APPLICABILITY BY THE LICENSING AUTHORITIES OF STATES REMAINING PARTY TO THE COMPACT OF ANY REPORT OF CONVICTION OCCURRING PRIOR TO THE WITHDRAWAL.

ARTICLE IX

CONSTRUCTION AND SEVERABILITY

THIS COMPACT SHALL BE LIBERALLY CONSTRUED SO AS TO EFFECTUATE THE PURPOSES THEREOF. THE PROVISIONS OF THIS COMPACT SHALL BE SEVERABLE AND IF ANY PHRASE, CLAUSE, SENTENCE OR PROVISION OF THIS COMPACT IS DECLARED TO BE CONTRARY TO THE CONSTITUTION OF ANY PARTY STATE OR OF THE UNITED STATES OR THE APPLICABILITY THEREOF TO ANY GOVERNMENT, AGENCY, PERSON OR CIRCUMSTANCE IS HELD INVALID, THE VALIDITY OF THE REMAINDER OF THIS COMPACT AND THE APPLICABILITY THEREOF TO ANY GOVERNMENT, AGENCY, PERSON OR CIRCUMSTANCE SHALL NOT BE AFFECTED THEREBY. IF THIS COMPACT SHALL BE HELD CONTRARY TO THE CONSTITUTION OF ANY STATE PARTY THERETO, THE COMPACT SHALL REMAIN IN FULL FORCE AND EFFECT AS TO THE REMAINING STATES AND IN FULL FORCE AND EFFECT AS TO THE STATE AFFECTED AS TO ALL SEVERABLE MATTERS.